Proposal to upgrade CGHS dispensaries

1510. PROF. VIJAY KUMAR MALHOTRA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether most of the CGHS dispensaries in Delhi are short of medicines and the beneficiaries are being harassed and made to undergo untold miseries;

(b) if so, the reasons for the deficiancy of medicines in CGHS dispensaries and the steps taken to overcome the shortage of medicines;

(c) whether there is any proposal to upgrade some of the CGHS dispensaries, like dispensaries in Sector IV and Sector VIII, R. K. Puram, New Delhi, and make basic infrastructure available therein to check the growing rush and congestion in Government hospitals; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. C. SILVERA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) By and large, all formulary medicines are available in the dispensaries of Delhi. In case of non-availability of any medicines, the same are procured by the dispensaries, from the approved local chemists and supplied to the beneficiaries.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) All the CGHS beneficiaries are getting the pathological laboratory facilities and ENT & Eye specialists' services from the adjoining CGHS dispensaries.

Growth rate of population

1511. SHRI RAJUBHAI A. PARMAR:
SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SAMBHAJIRAO SHINDE:
SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the comparative figures and rate of growth of population registered during 1975—80, 1981—85, 1985—90 and 1990—95;

(b) whether it is a fact that during the two decades since 1975 the population planning and programme have failed to bring about any concrete results;

(c) if so, whether any result oriented plan of action has been worked out or it being worked out to bring about a reversal in growth rate by the end of the century; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI PABAN SINGH GHATOWAR): (a) The estimates of Natural Growth Rate of population obtained from Sample Registration System as the difference of average birth and death rates for the periods 1975—80, 1981—85, 1985—90 and 1990—93 are 1.97 per cent 2.15 per cent, 2.09 per cent 1.97 per cent (Provisional) respectively.

(b) No, Sir. As per the estimates of the Sample Registration System, the birth rate of national level declined from 35.2 in 1975 to 28.5 (Provisional) in 1993 mainly due to the impact of the family planning programme.

(c) and (d) A result oriented Action Plan has been formulated in consultation with the State Government and Union Territories Administrations. Its key features include improving the quality and outreach of services, promotion of spacing methods among younger age couples, special focus on 90 lagging districts to improve their demographic parameters and involving voluntary and non-Government organisations to promote community participation as well as strengthening of interventions to promote maternal and child health care.

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